



<u>PATENT</u>

Attorney Docket No. 64978

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

	Applicant(s):	Biedermann et al.	
	Appln No.:	09/242,540	
	Filed:	February 18, 1999	
	For:	Pyridyl Alkene and Pyridyl Alkine- Acid Amides as Cytostatics and Immunosuppressives	RECEIVED
	Group Art Unit:	1624	APR 1 6 2002
	Examiner:	B. Coleman	TECH CENTER 1600/2900
	Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under 37 CFR §1.136(a) for an extension of time for reply in the above-identified application for the period required to make the accompanying reply timely, or, if there be no accompanying reply, for the period for which the fee is indicated or the period necessary to prevent abandonment of the above-identified application if longer than the period for which the fee is indicated. Extension fee for reply within second month: By a small entity (§1.9(f)) \$ 200.00 By other than a small entity \$ 400.00 A check in the amount of \$ to cover the extension fee is enclosed. Charge \$ 400.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. PETAINBEC 00000002 061135 09242540 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17 during its entire pendency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. This sheet is filed in triplicate.		
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